

WHAT'S NEW AT THE ALPINE COUNTY MUSEUM



New Washoe Display

If you weren't able to visit the Museum this summer, get ready for some exciting changes!

Our team has worked hard to:

- Create a new, informational display depicting Washoe life & culture
- Update and organize displays to enhance visitor experience
- Add new life with fresh, warm paint color!
- Rearrange exhibits to better reflect daily life in the 1800's and 1900's
- Install Sheriff's desk in Jail to add authenticity
- Develop interactive signs to help visitors identify & understand items in display cases



Newly organized General Store



Updated Monty Wolf exhibit

Lynette ~ Museum Curator

Leslie ~ Museum Assistant

Robert ~ Museum Volunteer



STAFF OUTREACH

Teddy Bear Parade: The Museum hosted a booth at the annual Teddy Bear Parade and connected with local students & families.

Annual Washoe Mountain Gathering: The museum hosted a booth at the first annual Washoe Mountain Gathering at Grover's Hot Springs State Park, sharing resources and history with attendees.

Washoe Earth Day: The Museum hosted a booth for the Alpine County Museum at the annual Washoe Earth Day Festival in Dresslerville, NV



Discovering what school was like in the late 1800's-early 1900's



Exploring turn of the century Living Room



Lynette leading a group tour

Pictures from hosting a very successful October field trip for Diamond Valley School staff and students ~we're already planning next year's visit!



Taking it all in (notice fresh paint on back wall!)



Exploring the newly organized Jail

Interested in learning ways to support our one of a kind Museum? Please reach out to Museum staff for more information. We welcome your questions & ideas!

We wish everyone a happy, healthy winter season and look forward to seeing you in Spring, 2024!

